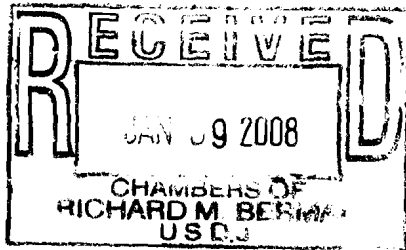


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## MEMO ENDORSED

January 9, 2007

Re: United States v. Christo, 07 cr 818

Dear Judge Berman,

I am counsel to the defendant James Christo, in the above entitled matter. I am writing to respectfully request that the appearance in this case, scheduled for tomorrow afternoon, be moved to February 11, 2008 at 2:00 PM. The government and defense are still in the discovery process, which has taken a bit longer than usual because there are a number of tape recordings involved and many of them are in the Albanian language. Nonetheless, the government has been supplying tapes in an on-going process and is also going to provide transcripts as soon as they are ready. I have spoken with AUSA Michael Levy, who is counsel to the government in this matter, and he agrees that an adjournment would be appropriate. Finally, I am in the process of moving my office and things are a bit hectic as a result.

Accordingly, it is respectfully requested that this matter be adjourned until February 11, 2008 at 2:00. It is understood that the period from January 10, 2008 until February 11, 2008 will be excluded under the Speedy Trial Act.

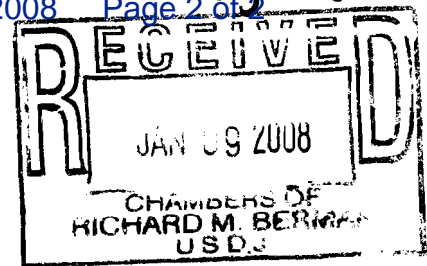
cc: AUSA Michael Levy  
 Richard B. Lind, Esq.

<u>Application</u>	<u>Yours truly</u>
<u>granted on consent.</u>	<u>[Signature]</u>
<u>Conference is now</u>	<u>John W. Mitchell</u>
<u>scheduled for 2-11-08 at 2:00pm.</u>	
<u>Speedy Trial time is excluded</u>	
<u>for the reasons set forth in</u>	
<u>this letter.</u>	
<b>SO ORDERED:</b>	<u>Richard M. Berman</u>
<b>Date:</b> <u>1-10-08</u>	<b>Richard M. Berman, U.S.D.J.</b>

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**Comments**

This fax is to confirm that I my office spoke with Mr. Lind, counsel to Remila Christo, and he too consents to the proposed adjournment and understands that the period from January 10, 2008 to February 11, 2008 will be excluded for purposes of speedy trial calculations.

John W. Mitchell

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